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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :  
Masatoshi YASUTAKE et al. :  
Serial No. 10/775,724 : Group Art Unit - 2823  
Filed: February 10, 2004 : Examiner: Quovaunda Jefferson  
For: PREPARATION OF SAMPLE CHIP, :  
METHOD OF OBSERVING WALL :  
SURFACE THEREOF AND SYSTEM :  
THEREFOR : Docket No. S004-5210

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MS FEE AMENDMENT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
AND REQUIRED EXTENSION FEE**

**S I R:**

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time for replying to the Office Action dated August 30, 2005 and request that the period for taking further action be reset to expire on October 30, 2005. This is an extension request for replying to the August 30 Office Action within the first month pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

The reason for the present request is to provide additional time to study the August 30 Office Action and take appropriate action in response thereto.

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A check in the amount \$120.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the required fee. Should the check prove insufficient for any reason, authorization is hereby given to charge any such insufficiency to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

Respectfully submitted,

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